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MAGNETIC MEMORY MEDIUM HAVING A MAGNETIC FILM LAMINATED ON A SUBSTRATE AND A NON-MAGNETIC FILM FORMED THEREON, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME (As Amended)

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

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	Amended	Paid For	Extra		Rate			Fee
Total Claims	11	- <u>20</u>	= 0	X	\$18.00	=	\$_	.00
Independent Claims	4	3	=1	X	\$86.00	=	\$	86.00
Fee for Multiple Depend	ent Claims				\$290.00	=	\$_	.00
Total Additional Fee							\$_	86.00
Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)							\$_	.00

- **(X)** Amendment D, with 4 annotated drawing sheets.
- **(X)** A check in the amount of \$86.00 for extra claims.
- Submission of Formal Drawings, with 13 replacement sheets. (**X**)
- Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate), with check in the amount of \$110.00. (X)
- If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response (X) timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under (X) 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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